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PRIO SOCARRAS JOINS CUBANS IN NICARAGUA

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, Aug. 3 (UPI) — Dr. Carlos Prió Socarras, former President of Cuba, arrived Saturday and said that he would be here for some time working for the liberation of his homeland.

His arrival was linked to the recent appearance here of Manuel Artimé, civilian leader of the abortive invasion of April, 1961.

Mr. Artimé was here for conferences with President René Schick. It has been reported that he was working on plans for military action against the Government of Premier Fidel Castro.

Dr. Prió Socarras said: "We are all in the same struggle. We think what Artimé is doing looks good and we back him. I will be here some time."

It has been reported that Mr. Artimé left the country. Two Managua newspapers reported that Cuban exiles were training for guerrilla warfare in a Nicaraguan jungle. The War Ministry denied this.

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